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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: Harry E. Fitzwater
Deputy Director for Administration

1. This afternoon I received a call from Henry Dudley informing me that he had talked with Senator Chafee about the FOIA Bill and Senator Baker's Administrative Officer concerning the identities legislation. He had asked that each of these Bills receive early consideration by Congress and is optimistic that this will occur.

2. Henry asked that I let you know that Peter Krog, Dean of the School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University, would be on a television program with Dean Rusk this evening. The program will be on the Public Broadcasting System channel at 11:00 p.m. This is Peter's third program in which he speaks on subjects concerning American interests abroad. Henry believes that Peter would be willing to dedicate one of his programs to enhancing the Agency's image, for example, countering last Sunday's "60 Minutes" program. He suggested that if you were not acquainted with Peter Krog, Henry would like to introduce him to you. Henry is very disturbed by the Agency's bad press and wants to help counter it. I agreed to pass this information to you.

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Harry E. Fitzwater

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NOTE: Mr. Dudley attended the Houston/Washington Quarterly Roundtable Luncheon on 5 Nov and mentioned that he would pursue the topic in paragraph 1 above. (DDA 81-2006)

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Harry E. Fitzwater
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: Harry E. Fitzwater
Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT: Request for Continued Protection of Documents Involved in the Litigation Case of the Meeropol Brothers

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1. Action Requested: Your signature is requested on the attached statement certifying that continued protection of the identified documents is required.

2. Background: These thirty-four documents are involved in ongoing litigation pursuant to the original 1975 FOIA request of the Meeropol brothers for information about their parents, Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, and for information about various people related to the Rosenberg Case (IPD Ref. F-75-144).

3. Reason That Extension of Classification is Necessary: Information in these documents would lead to the identification of intelligence sources, to a foreign liaison relationship, to intelligence methods including cover, and to certain CIA organizational data. The specific organizational data that would be jeopardized include the location of CIA installations overseas, the names of CIA employees, pseudonyms, cryptonyms, and the identification of internal CIA organizational components. It is reasonable to conclude that the release of the information contained in these documents could cause serious damage to the national security and the placing of certain persons in jeopardy. A copy of the documents is available for your review if desired.

4. Recommendation: It is recommended that you sign the certifying statement.

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